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TORRANCE HIGH LIGHTS . . .
by Harvey Abramson

RALLY HELPS T.N.T. . . . A pep rally was held for the Gardena game last Monday. The varsity team went thru some plays that were described by Coach Pete Zamperini to explain some points of the game that were not fully understood. After some yells, David Figueredo, editor of the T.N.T., made a plea for contributions so the paper could continue. The response was swell and we'll be able to have our paper every week as usual.

MOTHER'S TEA HELD . . . Yesterday the Senior B class gave a tea for the mothers of the graduating seniors in the foyer of the auditorium with chairs and tables placed on the walk in front. Bill Stewart was master of ceremonies.

FOR SPORTSMANSHIP . . . Yesterday Torrance high was host to representatives of schools in the Marine League. There were three members from each school body present to promote better sportsmanship at games.

Each school is to be graded on its conduct by the committee, getting a possible 60 points for football, 15 points for basketball, 15 points for track, and 10 points for baseball. At the end of the year, the school having the greatest number of points will receive a trophy cup. The first school to win this three years receives a large trophy denoting good sportsmanship on the part of their student body. Ballots for the football season will be cast next week.

Angeleno Attempts Marble Game Theft

Attempted theft of money out of a marble machine at a local cafe caused the arrest here of Dick Davies, 31 Los Angeles last Friday morning. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was given a suspended sentence of 180 days in the county jail on condition that he stays out of Torrance for two years.

In 1938 France had 16,823 farmers' co-operatives.

HOLLYWOOD STAR NEW SHRINE HEAD



Harold Lloyd, famed motion picture star and producer, just elected Potentate for 1939 of Al Malinkah Temple of the Shrine.

Sears Re-States Kiwanis Objectives at Dinner Meeting

Beginning his term as president of the service group, Dean Sears devoted the local Kiwanis club's first regular meeting of the year Monday night to a re-statement of Kiwanis ideals and objectives. C. T. Rippey, oldest past president of the organization, made an interesting address concerning the Kiwanis International's 24th anniversary.

A number of guests were present at the session which was held in Daniels cafe. Next Monday night the club will assemble at the same place to see some interesting motion pictures depicting tuna fishing. These will be provided by the Union Oil company.

Walteria Women Form Choral Group

Sixteen Walteria women attended the initial period of the newly-formed Walteria chorus last Friday. Rehearsals will be held every Friday afternoon here after at homes of members, according to Mrs. John A. Minor. Mrs. Eva Kelley is directing the group and she is also its president. Other officers are Mrs. Lenora Young, secretary, at whose home the practices will be held tomorrow; Mrs. D. E. Crowther, music chairman; Mrs. Della Armstrong, treasurer, and Mrs. Minor, publicity.

In addition to the weekly practices, a monthly social meeting is planned by the chorus.

Russ Ballet Has 7 Noted Ballerinas

Eleven spectacular and colorful performances of S. Hurrok's Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo are scheduled at Philharmonic Auditorium beginning Tuesday, Jan. 24, to and inclusive Saturday evening, Feb. 4.

It took S. Hurrok, New York impresario, nearly five years to gather into the fold of the Monte Carlo Ballet Russe, the seven most beautiful ballerinas in the world. They were selected from six different nations and trained by the great ballet master, Leonide Massine. Among them are Alicia Markova, the idol of London; Nina Thealdie, Danish-Japanese formerly premiere danseuse of the Royal Opera in Copenhagen; Mia Slavenska, Yugoslavian prima ballerina; Aleksandria Danilova, Russian, who has been a prima ballerina with the company since its inception; Nathalie Krassovska, Marina Franca, and Milada Mladova, complete this star cast of seven international beauties.

The repertoire contains such old favorites as "Les Sylphides," "Prince Igor," "Le Beau Danube" and other divertissements, whilst "Giselle," "Gaiete Parisienne," "St. Francis" and "Beethoven's Seventh Symphony" are listed among the new numbers. Ticket reservations and mail orders at Orchestra Box Office, Auditorium Building, 711 96th St., So. Cal. Music Co. Ticket Office, 737 So. Hill street, TU 1144, and branch offices.

669 Attend Edison Masons Dinner Here

A total of 669 members of the southern California Edison Masonic club attended the gala dinner program held in the Civic Auditorium last Saturday. Members of the Torrance American Legion Auxiliary served the bountiful dinner.

The only local guests present were William H. Stanger and L. J. Gilmer.

A number of high-ranking Masons and officials of the power company were present and all united in voicing appreciation of the club's interesting motion pictures depicting tuna fishing. These will be provided by the Union Oil company.

Townsend Club Activities
By Mrs. Both Paige

A grand turnout of our club members as well as a large number of out-towners gathered last Thursday evening in our hall for the 6 o'clock dinner. Comments heard on every side were to the effect that many had never seen such a quantity of luscious home-cooked foods crowded into one place before. Quite a bit of it had to be auctioned off afterwards.

Some fancy work embroidered by our still-ill member, Mrs. Rutha Moran, brought a good price. Mrs. Alberta Bouldin donated a sparkling "mystery box" and a rug made by Mrs. Rena Pruitt helped the treasury. Balloting on new officers for the ensuing year will be held on the same Thursday as our monthly birthday party.

At least 2700 different languages are spoken in the world.



ROMANCING TOGETHER . . . Joan Crawford and Robert Young are shown here in a scene from "The Shining Hour," which opens Sunday in conjunction with "Heart of the North" in Technicolor at the Plaza Theatre in Hawthorne.

Northern Drama In Technicolor

Outdoor action, thrills and suspense are the keynotes of the Technicolor special "Heart of the North," which opens tonight at the Torrance Theatre. It is a full bodied picture, combining all the elements that make for superb entertainment.

It has adventure, it has romance, it has thrills, it has humor, and it pictures with a love-liness the Technicolor camera has never surpassed the wild and little known country in which its action is laid.

Added to all these requirements of the ideal outdoor picture, "Heart of the North" acquires a special interest because of the evident authenticity with which the daily existence and the work of the famous red-coated policemen of the Canadian woods are depicted.

Dick Foran is given every opportunity to display that credibility as a genuine man of action which made him so popular as a hero of western pictures.

Library Aide Here Monday

Are you interested in the new science of soilless agriculture, the growing of plants with chemical aidment. Do you wish to learn how to do your job better? Or do you have other and different problems in the fields of science and industry which could be solved by the advice of thousands of experts available to you through the resources of your local library?

Mrs. Dorothy Jamieson, librarian of the Torrance Public Library, announces that Eugene D. Hart, Technical reference librarian of the Los Angeles County Library, will be present from 7 to 9 p. m., Monday, Jan. 23. Hart will assist patrons who may have particular interests or needs in the field of science and industry.

The Technical reference department of the County Library answers thousands of requests each year from patrons of branches for information on how many and varied phases of such subjects as agriculture, engineering, medicine, building and business. It has supplied the needs of a great many residents for dependable and useful information about their various problems and interests.

All branch borrowers who have practical problems in their occupations or avocations are urged to take advantage of Hart's visits.

Will Sets Up Ticket Fund PHILADELPHIA (U.P.)—The will of Mrs. Emma Schubert Brister, harpist and only woman member of the Philadelphia Amateur Orchestra which preceded the Philadelphia Orchestra, bequeathed \$2,000 to the orchestra. The income to be used to purchase concert tickets for music students.

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'Jesse James' Saga of Old Wild West

Twentieth Century Fox's "Jesse James" which opens Thursday at the Fox Cabrillo theatre, was developed and completed from its embryo stage by a group of the most capable film makers in Hollywood. Story by Tyrone Power, Henry Fonda and Nancy Kelly, "Jesse James" was produced by Darryl F. Zanuck and directed by Henry King.

One of America's greatest sagas, the adventure of the ruthless James boys, is told as in the biography of Jesse James. The exciting story of these Missouri-born brothers, who robbed trains, gave the Wild West its reputation for romance and daring. This epic of the West is made on a big scale and is photographed gorgeously in technicolor.

Tyrone Power is very effective as Jesse James, while Henry Fonda is excellent as Frank James. And strange as it may seem, Tyrone and Henry effect a remarkable resemblance. Nancy Kelly is very pretty and appealing as the neglected wife of Jesse.

AROUND HOLLYWOOD FILM LOTS

HOLLYWOOD (U.P.)—Until a year ago, as it has been emphasized previously, Olympe Bradna knew only the kisses of her father, mother and relatives. Now her studio casually reports, "Olympe Bradna's latest picture undergone a complete transformation since her last picture. Abandonment and delight have replaced the reserve and hesitation that characterized her when she appeared in her first romantic scene."

Some one of the lot must have kept a check on Olympe for it was announced that she has been kissed 27 times since cameras started turning on "Say It In French."

"It's quite obvious Miss Bradna is having an awful lot of fun, although she refuses to be quoted. Even still, cameramen can flutter around at will, and she rewards them with a smile."

Off the lot with some of the stars, it is revealed that White Gracie Allen was in New York recently she bought several outfits which she will wear in her forthcoming picture, "Gracie Allen Must Case." Her purchases included 23 hats, three suits and four dinner dresses.

Claudette Colbert's new butler is an ex-aviator who told Claudette, when he accepted the job, that he wanted that type of employment just to rest for a while and that he planned to go back into flying in the spring.

Glady's Swarthout was fascinated for more than an hour on the "Ambush" set by a palmist visitor who read her palm. Glady's made three pages of notes on forecasts the palmist predicted for her.

Dorothy Howe liked the blonde wig she wore in "King of Alcatraz" so well that she had her brunette hair done three shades lighter.

Australia Aids Refugees SYDNEY, Australia (U.P.)—Australia has decided to take 15,000 Jewish refugees from Europe over a period of years.

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